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In Re Application of:  
William Daniel HILLIS

Serial No.: 09/821,694

Group Art Unit: 1645

Filing Date: March 28, 2001

Examiner: To be assigned

Title: METHOD AND SEQUENCES FOR DETERMINATE NUCLEIC ACID  
HYBRIDIZATION

**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO COMPLY WITH REQUIREMENTS FOR  
PATENT APPLICATION CONTAINING NUCLEOTIDE AND/OR  
AMINO ACID SEQUENCE**

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Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

In response to the Notice to Comply dated December 3, 2001, and pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.824, applicant submits herewith a Sequence Listing in computer-readable form to be filed in the subject application. In addition, applicant submits a Sequence Listing as required under 37 C.F.R §1.821(f). February 4, 2002.

The information in the hard copy and computer-readable form is identical. Applicant respectfully submits that the subject application complies with 37 C.F.R §§1.821-1.825.

I hereby state that this submission, filed in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.821(g), does not contain new material.

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Respectfully submitted,

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Sir:

In connection with a Sequence Listing submitted concurrently herewith, the undersigned hereby states that:

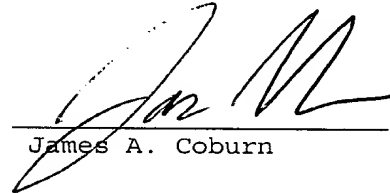
1. the submission, filed herewith in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.821(g), does not include new matter;
2. the content of the attached paper copy and the attached computer readable copy of the Sequence Listing, submitted in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.821(c) and (e), respectively, are the same; and
3. all statements made herein of their own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further, that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United

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States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent resulting therefrom.

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